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Dear Mr. Zuidema and Mr. Tichenor:

The Program Year 2005 Annual Performance Report for Kansas Reemployment Services is enclosed. This report describes activities carried out in the Workforce Centers in Kansas. If you have questions or concerns regarding this report, please contact Linda J. Weaver at (785) 296-2159 or lweaver@kansascommerce.com.

Sincerely,



Rae Anne Davis
Deputy Secretary

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Enclosure

cc: Phil Moreland
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REEMPLOYMENT SERVICES PERFORMANCE REPORT

STATE: KANSAS

DATE: October 2, 2006

STATE SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE REPORT (Add additional sheets if necessary)

Describe activities and an overview of how the activities were accomplished. Include milestones, and positive outcomes achieved. Compare accomplishment of planned performance goals with the attainment of the performance indicators identified by the State in the annual plan.

Program Year 2005 (July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2006)

Activities

In Program Year 2005, a total of 38,536 Unemployment Insurance (UI) claimants were registered for work. Claimants most in need of staff assisted services to find employment were identified through the Worker Profiling Reemployment System (WPRS) statistical model. The quality and quantity of services to UI claimants were enhanced through the extra funding to the Workforce Centers made available through the RES Grant.

The following early intervention staff assisted services were provided to claimants most in need of assistance:

1. Assessments to determine barriers to employment;
2. Career guidance to help claimants identify their options and occupational choices;
3. Eligibility determinations for services provided by other One-Stop partners;
4. Employability plans to provide services specifically customized to meet the claimant's needs;
5. Introductions to various on-line job searches, career guidance, and labor market information tools available through the Career Centers;
6. Job development contacts with businesses on behalf of claimants;
7. Job search assistance, such as workshops, self-help learning tools, and mock interviewing to enhance job-seeking skills;
8. Referred qualified claimants to employers based on a match of their skills to work requirements; and

9. Work registration completed to gather adequate information to make referrals to employers.

Performance

Each Workforce Center is aware of the state policy on providing Wagner-Peyser Reemployment Services to Unemployment Insurance Claimants. Workforce Center Managers are instructed to review regularly the ETA 9002 and RES Quarterly Reports available on-line through Kansas JobLink to determine the level of reemployment services their staff is providing.

Performance Item	PY05	Performance Standard	Actual Performance
Total Eligible Claimants	38,536		
Received Staff-Assisted Services	20,405	85%	56%
Career Guidance	6,926	7%	19%
Job Search Activities	7,206	80%	20%
Referred to Employment	10,946	25%	30%
Referred to WIA Services	1,305	4%	4%

Source: ETA 9002-A

NOTE: Procedures for reporting have changed significantly, therefore, a line-by-line comparison between the PY04 and PY05 may not be possible.